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PATENT  
Attorney Docket No. 08009.0008-00

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
Toshiki MAEDA et al. )  
Application No.: 10/715,525 ) Group Art Unit: 1745  
Filed: November 19, 2003 ) Examiner: Rhee, J.  
For: ACTIVE MATERIAL FOR ) Confirmation No.: 4709  
POSITIVE ELECTRODE OF LITHIUM )  
SECONDARY BATTERY )

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

Enclosed is a reply to the Office Action of November 2, 2005. The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

- ☒ Applicant(s) hereby petition(s) for a 3 month(s) extension of time to respond to the above Office Action. The fee of \$1020.00 for the Extension is enclosed.
- ☒ A check for \$1020.00 to cover the above fee(s) is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Dated: April 20, 2006

By: *David W. Hill*  
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